



September is National Emergency  
Preparedness Month



Join Us For:

# Westford Emergency Preparedness Day

**Date: September 25th**

**Time: 9am-1pm**

**Location: The Abbot School, 23 Depot Street**

- **“Touch-A-Truck”** - Explore a ladder truck with local firefighters; see how the Highway Department's apparatus works; check out an ambulance and a bucket truck; and peek into a police cruiser.
- **Preparedness Exhibits** - Learn how to be ready in case of disasters.
- **Purchase 72-hour Emergency Kits** - Available for \$40.
- **Radio Day** - Learn how ham radio and portable communications devices operate, and different ways to communicate during power outages.
- **Blood Pressure Screenings**
- **Free Bicycle Helmet Giveaway** - Limited quantities, to be given out on a first come, first served basis.
- **Children's Games, Face Painting and Other Activities**
- **Free Microchips for Animals** - being conducted at two sites for those who previously registered online through the MVMA (MA Vet. Medical Assn.) [www.massvet.org](http://www.massvet.org).



Sponsored by the Health, Police, Fire, Emergency Management and Highway Departments, as well as Scott's Tree and Landscaping Service and the Upper Merrimack Valley Medical Reserve Corps ([www.umvmrc.org](http://www.umvmrc.org)), a regional volunteer response team.

